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Please find attached a Supplemental Amendment for filing in the above-referenced case. Thank you.

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

This amendment is to supplement the amendment previously filed on November 13, 2002. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the claims in light of the following amendments and remarks.

In the claims:

Please amend Claims 1 and 17 as follows:

sub 1. (Third Amendment) A gravity hinge consisting essentially of:
an upper cylindrical knuckle having a first terminating surface and an opposing
second terminating surface oblique to the axis of said upper knuckle;
a lower cylindrical knuckle having a first terminating surface and an opposing
second terminating surface
wherein said first terminating surface of said lower cylindrical knuckle is oblique to
the axis of said lower knuckle and is at the same angle as said second surface of said upper
knuckle;